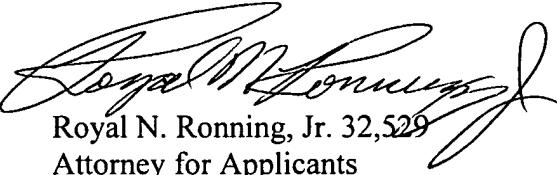


**REMARKS**

Claims 1-19 are pending in the captioned application. Applicant has amended the Claims to delete multiple dependencies. Applicant respectfully asserts that such amendments are fairly based on the specification and respectfully request their entry.

Applicant believes that the claims, as amended, are in allowable form and earnestly solicit the allowance of Claims 1-19.

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